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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DETECTING  
HIGH-ENERGY RADIATION USING A PULSE  
MODE ION CHAMBER**

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Examiner: D. L. Greene

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (IDS)**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97, Applicant(s) hereby make of record the following additional documents. A PTO Form SB/08 and a full copy of each of the documents required under 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2) accompany this statement.

Applicant(s) have become aware of the following documents, cited in a Canadian Office Action issued February 2, 2011, during the prosecution of Canadian Application No. **2,502,799**, which corresponds to the above referenced application, and in accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(c) and (e)(1) or (b)(3), hereby submit(s) these documents for the Examiner's consideration. Please note the references cited, US 6,353,324, US 4,086,490, and GB 1,052,523, were previously submitted.

This statement is not to be interpreted as a representation that the cited documents are material, that an exhaustive search has been conducted, or that no other relevant information exists. Nor

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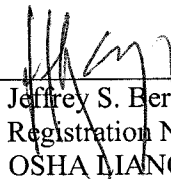
In accordance with 37 CFR 1.704(d), Applicant notes that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart application, and that this communication was not received by any individual designated in 1.56(c) more than thirty days prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith to our Deposit Account No. 50-0591, under Order No. 07754/046001.

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